

Office of Congressman Mark Schauer

American Recovery and Reinvestment Act Guidebook

Dear Friend,

The American Recovery and Reinvestment Act is an unprecedented effort to jumpstart our economy, create or save millions of jobs, and put a down payment on addressing longneglected challenges so our country can thrive in the 21st century.

The Recovery Act is an extraordinary response to a crisis unlike any since the Great Depression. With much at stake, the Act provides for unprecedented levels of transparency and accountability so that you will be able to know how, when, and where your tax dollars are being spent. Spearheaded by a new Recovery Board, this Act contains built-in measures to root out waste, inefficiency, and unnecessary spending.



Since the size and magnitude of the Recovery bill is so large, I have created this guidebook to serve as a starting point in providing information about what resources are available to individuals, businesses, community organizations and local governments. Its contents are by no means comprehensive and will be updated periodically as more details about specific programs become available.

A provision in the Recovery Act requires the Executive Branch to maintain a website detailing where federal dollars will be spent and announcements on potential funding opportunities. I strongly encourage you to visit www.recovery.gov for further information on how to access Recovery funds. You may also visit my website, www.schauer.house.gov for up-to-date information about how the Recovery program will benefit Michigan.

As always, I stand ready to assist you and hope the information provided in this guidebook proves useful to you. If you have any questions, comments or concerns, please feel free to contact Lisa Dedden Cooper in my district office at 517-780-9075.

Sincerely,

Mark Schauer Member of Congress

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Transportation

Grant: Highway Improvement Programs

Amount: \$27.5 billion was included for Highway Infrastructure Investment.

Type: Funds are distributed by formula, with a portion of the funds within each State being sub

allocated by population areas.

Administrator: state departments of transportation

Purpose: For transportation projects including resurfacing and pavement preservation projects, traffic

signal system upgrades, bridge projects, transit projects and intelligent transportation systems.

Website: http://www.recovery.gov/?q=content/rebuilding-infrastructure

http://www.dot.gov/recovery/

Grant: Transit Capital Assistance

Amount: \$8.4 billion was included for transit capital assistance grants.

Type: Funds are distributed through the existing urban and rural transit formulas - 80% of the capital

assistance funds are to be distributed through the Federal Transit Administration's (FTA) urbanized formula; 10% through their rural formula; and 10% through their growing states and

high density formula

Administrator: Federal Transit Administration

Description: These funds will be used to purchase buses and equipment needed to provide additional public

transportation service and to make improvements to intermodal and transit facilities

Website to find state

and district #s:

http://www.fta.dot.gov/index 9118.html

Grant: Fixed Guideway Modernization

Amount: \$750 million was included for transit capital assistance grants.

Type: Funds are allocated by a statutory formula to urbanized areas with rail systems that have been

in operation for at least seven years.

Administrator: Federal Transit Administration / U.S. Department of Transportation

Purpose: These funds will be used for capital projects to modernize or improve existing fixed guideway

systems, including purchase and rehabilitation of rolling stock, track, line equipment,

structures, signals and communications, power equipment and substations, passenger stations

and terminals, security equipment and systems, maintenance facilities and equipment,

operational support equipment including computer hardware and software, system extensions,

and preventive maintenance.

Website: http://www.fta.dot.gov/funding/grants/grants-financing-3558.html

Grant: Capital Investments Grants (New Starts & Small Starts)

Amount: \$750 million was included for capital investment grants.

Type: Distributed on a discretionary basis for New Starts and Small Starts projects that are already in

construction or are nearly ready to begin construction

Administrator: Federal Transit Administration - U.S. Department of Transportation

Purpose: For light rail lines, rapid rail (heavy rail), commuter rail, automated fixed guideway system, or

bus-way/high occupancy vehicle (HOV) facilities

Website: http://www.fta.dot.gov/funding/grants/grants financing 3590.html

Grant: Transit Capital Assistance-Discretionary Grants

Amount: \$6.9 billion was included for transit capital assistance grants.

Type: Discretionary grants to public transit agencies to improve energy efficiency, and reduce costs

and dependence on foreign oil.

Agency: Federal Transit Administration - U.S. Department of Transportation

Website: http://www.fta.dot.gov/index_9118.html

Grant: National Surface Transportation System - Discretionary Grants

Amount: \$1.5 billion was included for discretionary grants for the National Surface Transportation

System.

Type: Discretionary grants to be awarded to state and local governments or transit agencies on a

competitive basis for projects that will have a significant impact on the nation, a metropolitan area, or a region. Eligible projects include highway and bridge projects, public transportation

projects, passenger and freight rail projects, and port infrastructure investments

Agency: U.S. Department of Transportation

Websites: http://www.dot.gov/

http://www.dot.gov/citizen_services/grants_loans/

Grant: Capital Assistance for High Speed Rail and Intercity Passenger Rail Service

Amount: \$8 billion was included for Capital Assistance to States and the High Speed Passenger Rail

Program.

Type: Discretionary grants for state government for capital improvements and planning activities

necessary to support improved or new intercity passenger rail service

Agency: Federal Railroad Administration - U.S. Department of Transportation

Website: <u>www.fra.dot.gov</u>

http://www.fra.dot.gov/us/content/1954

http://www.grants.gov

Grant: Capital Grants to Amtrak

Amount: \$1.3 billion included for capital grants to Amtrak for security and non-security improvements

Type: grants will be given directly to Amtrak; no more than 60% will be spent in the NE corridor

Agency: Federal Railroad Administration

Purpose: To maintain and improve the national system of intercity passenger rail. In addition to security

improvements, repair, rehabilitation, or upgrade of railroad assets or infrastructure, and for capital projects that expand passenger rail capacity including the rehabilitation of rolling stock

(locomotives and passenger cars)

Website: <u>www.fra.dot.gov</u>

http://www.fra.dot.gov/us/content/30

<u>http://www.amtrak.com</u> (for jobs and contracting opportunities)

Grant: Federal Aviation Administration - Competitive Grants to airports for infrastructure

improvements

Amount: \$1.1 billion

Type: competitive grants

Agency: Federal Aviation Administration

Purpose: Grants to airports who are part of the National Plan of Integrated Airport Systems (NPIAS) for

repairs and improving critical infrastructure to improve safety and reduce congestion

Website: http://www.faa.gov/recovery/

Grant: Federal Aviation Administration -- Competitive Grants to improve FAA power systems

Amount: \$200 million

Type: competitive grants

Agency: Federal Aviation Administration

Purpose: Upgrade the FAA's power system -- \$50 million, modernize aging air traffic control centers --

\$50 million, replace air traffic control centers and TRACONS -- \$80 million, install airport

lighting, navigation and landing equipment -- \$20 million

Website: http://www.faa.gov/recovery/

Grant: Competitive Grants to Small Domestic Shipyards

Amount: \$100 million

Type: competitive grants

Agency: Department of Transportation

Purpose: grants for investments and improvements

Website: http://www.dot.gov/recovery/

Environment (Water, Enviro Cleanup, and Army COE)

Grant: Clean Water State Revolving Fund

Amount: \$4 billion included for the Clean Water State Revolving Fund

Type: Funding provided to states is used to makes loans to communities, individuals, and others for

high-priority water-quality activities

Administrator: state departments of environmental protection

Purpose: To provide relief to communities by requiring a greater Federal share for local clean and

drinking water projects and greater flexibility for States to reach communities that would

otherwise not have the resources to repay a loan with interest.

Activities: Loans are used to build or improve wastewater treatment plants; agricultural, rural, and urban

runoff control; estuary improvement projects; wet weather flow control, including storm water and sewer overflows; alternative treatment technologies; and water reuse and conservation

projects.

Website: http://www.epa.gov/owm/cwfinance/cwsrf/

Grants: Drinking Water State Revolving Fund

Amount: \$2 billion included for the Clean Water State Revolving Fund

Type: Funding provided to states is used to makes loans to communities, individuals, and others for

high-priority water-quality activities

Administrator: state departments of public health or environmental protection

Provisions: Directs priority funding to projects on State priority lists that are ready to proceed to

construction within 12 months of enactment

Purpose: To provide relief to communities by requiring a greater Federal share for local clean and

drinking water projects and greater flexibility for States to reach communities that would

otherwise not have the resources to repay a loan with interest.

Activities: Loans can be used for the installation and replacement of failing treatment facilities, eligible

storage facilities and transmission and distribution systems

Website: http://www.epa.gov/owm/cwfinance/cwsrf/

Grants: Brownfields Evaluation and Clean-Up

Amount: \$100 million was included for Brownfields projects

Type: low interest loans, job training grants and technical assistance to local governments and non-

profit organizations.

Agency: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency- Office of Brownfields and Land Revitalization

Website: http://www.epa.gov/brownfields/

http://www.epa.gov/oswer

Grant: Hazardous Substance Superfund Hazardous Waste Cleanup

Amount: \$600 million

Administrator: Environmental Protection Agency

Provisions: Funds will be limited to the 1,255 sites on its National Priority List of superfund remedial sites.

The superfund remedial program addresses contamination from uncontrolled releases at

hazardous and toxic waste sites that threaten human health and environment

Website: http://www.epa.gov/superfund/sites/npl/index.htm (Visit for a list of eligible projects in your

district)

Grants: Diesel Emission Reduction Program

Amount: \$300 million was included for Diesel Emission Reduction Act (DERA) grants.

Type: competitive grants fund technologies to retrofit emission exhaust systems, such as on school

buses and other vehicles, replace engines and vehicles, and establish anti-idling programs - 70% of the funding supports nation-wide, competitive grants, the remaining 30% funds grants to

states with approved programs

Agency: U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

Purpose: Funding is used to create clean diesel programs that achieve significant reductions in diesel

emissions that improve air quality and protect public health.

Website: http://www.epa.gov/otaq/diesel/

http://www.epa.gov/diesel/prgnational.htm

http://www.epa.gov/recovery

Webform: http://www.epa.gov/otaq/diesel/ncdc-cmt.htm

Grants: Leaking Underground Storage Tank Trust

Amount \$200 million

Agency: Environmental Protection Agency

Description: grants will be awarded through the Leaking Underground Storage Tanks (LUST) Program

(administered by the EPA). Priority will be given based on LUST's scoring of sites

Website: http://www.epa.gov/swerustl/ltffacts.htm

http://www.epa.gov/swerustl/wheruliv.htm (Visit for a list of eligible projects and contacts in

your state/district)

Grants: U.S. Army Corps of Engineers – Construction

Amount \$2 billion was included for United States Army Corps of Engineers for construction activities.

Type: Funding included for ongoing projects, not to initiate new projects.

Agency: U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

Description: Provides public engineering and construction services for navigation, flood and storm

protection, ecosystem restoration, environmental protection, and an array of other purposes.

Website: http://www.usace.army.mil/RECOVERY/Pages/default.aspx (for updates and information on

contracting and biz opportunities)

http://www.usace.army.mil/ABOUT/Pages/Locations.aspx (to find regional contacts who can

provide a list of projects/plans)

Grants: U.S. Army Corps of Engineers - Maintenance

Amount: \$2 billion was included United States Army Corps of Engineers for operation and maintenance

activities.

Type: Funding will be provided to existing Corps projects

Agency: U.S. Army Corps of Engineers

Description: Provides funding for the operation and maintenance of facilities constructed by the Corps.

Work to be accomplished consists of dredging, repair, and operation of structures and other

facilities.

Website: http://www.usace.army.mil/RECOVERY/Pages/default.aspx (for updates and information on

contracting and biz opportunities)

http://www.usace.army.mil/ABOUT/Pages/Locations.aspx (to find regional contacts who can

provide a list of projects/plans)

Grants: Bureau of Reclamation -- Clean Drinking Water Fund

Amount: \$1 billion

Type: grants based on priority ranking system

Agency: Bureau of Reclamation

Purpose: provide clean, reliable drinking water to rural areas and to ensure adequate water supply to

western localities impacted by drought

Website: http://www.usbr.gov/

Grants: Watershed Infrastructure

Amount: \$340 million

Type: grants based on priority ranking system
Agency: Natural Resources Conservation Service

Purpose: watershed improvement programs to design and build flood protection, water quality projects,

repair aging dams, and purchase and restore conservation easements in river flood zones

Website: http://www.nrcs.usda.gov/programs/recovery/implementation.html

Grants: Rural Water and Waste Disposal

Amount: \$1.38 billion

Type: grants

Agency: Department of Agriculture -- State Administrators

Purpose: help communities fund drinking water and wastewater treatment systems

Website: http://www.usda.gov/rus/

Contact: http://www.usda.gov/rus/water/states/usamap.htm

Energy

Grants: State Energy Efficiency Programs

Amount: \$3.1 billion was included for the State Energy Program.

Type: States receive funding through a formula

Description: States use grants to address energy priorities and program funding to adopt emerging renewable

energy and energy efficiency technologies

Grants: Weatherization Assistance Program

Amount: \$5 billion was included for the Weatherization Assistance Program. Provisions also expand the

eligibility of low income households for the Weatherization Assistance Program and increasing

the funding assistance level per dwelling (from \$2,500 per dwelling to \$6,500)

Type: States receive funding through a formula

Description: Provides energy efficiency measures in the homes of qualifying homeowners free of charge

Purpose: To assist low-income families reduce their energy bills by making their homes more energy

efficient

Contact: Your local Community Action Agency. Call 2-1-1 for more information.

Grants: Energy Efficiency and Conservation Block Grant (EECBG)

Amount: \$3.2 billion was included for EECBG.

Type: competitive grants to government entities

Office: Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE)

Agency: U.S. Department of Energy

Purpose: To reduce fossil fuel emissions, decrease overall energy consumption, Improve energy efficiency

in the transportation, building, and other energy consuming sectors of the economies of eligible

entities

Description: Assists states and local governments in implementing strategies to reduce fossil fuel emissions

created as a result of activities within the jurisdictions of the eligible entities and reduce the total

energy use. Activities eligible to receive funding include: conducting

residential and commercial building energy audits; establishing financial incentives programs for energy efficiency improvements; grants to non-profits organizations to perform energy efficiency

retrofits; developing/implementing programs to conserve energy used in transportation; developing and implementing building codes and inspections services to promote building energy efficiency; installing light emitting diodes (LEDs); and developing, implementing, and installing on or in any government building onsite renewable energy technology that generates

electricity from renewable sources.

Website: http://appsl.eere.energy.gov/wip/block grants.cfm

Grants: Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE)

Amount: \$16.8 billion was included for EERE

Type: competitive grants to private sector, state and local govn'ts, national labs, and universities

Agency: U.S. Department of Energy

Programs: 10 energy programs, including the Biomass Program; Building Technologies Program; Federal

Energy Management Program; Geothermal Technologies Program; Hydrogen, Fuel Cells & Infrastructure Program; Industrial Technologies Program; Solar Energy Technologies Program; Vehicle Technologies; Wind & Hydropower Technologies Program; and Weatherization &

Intergovernmental Program

Website: www.eere.energy.gov/

Grants: Biomass Program

Amount: \$800 million to be dedicated to projects related to biomass

Type: competitive grants

Office: Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE)

Agency: U.S. Department of Energy

Activities: For research, development and demonstration for converting biomass resources to biofuels

Website: www.eere.energy.gov/biomass

Grants: Geothermal Technologies Program

Amount: \$400 million to be dedicated for geothermal activities and projects

Type: competitive grants

Office: Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE)

Agency: U.S. Department of Energy

Activities: Research, development and demonstration efforts that emphasize the advancement of enhanced

geothermal systems

Website: <u>www.eere.energy.gov/geothermal</u>

Grants: Advanced Battery Manufacturing

Amount: \$2 billion was included for Advanced Battery Manufacturing grants to support the

manufacturing of advanced vehicle batteries and components

Type: Competitive Grants to domestic manufacturing facilities

Office: Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE)

Agency: U.S. Department of Energy

Activities: For the manufacturing of advanced batteries and components; and to provide facility funding to

manufacturers of advanced battery systems and vehicle batteries that are produced in the United

States, including advanced lithium ion batteries, hybrid electrical systems, component

manufacturers, and software designers

Website: <u>www.eere.energy.gov</u>

Grants: Alternative Fueled Vehicle Pilot Grant Program

Amount: \$300 million was included for the Alternative Fueled Vehicles Pilot Grant Program

Type: Competitive Grant to state governments, local governments, metropolitan transportation

authorities, air pollution control districts, and private or nonprofit entities.

Office: Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE) - Clean Cities Program

Agency: U.S. Department of Energy

Purposes: To establish a grant program through the DOE Clean Cities Program to encourage the use of

plug-in electric drive vehicles or other emerging electric vehicle technologies.

Activities Funds used for the acquisition of alternative fueled vehicles, fuel cell vehicles or hybrid vehicles,

including buses for public transportation and ground support vehicles at public airports. The installation or acquisition of infrastructure necessary to directly support an alternative fueled

vehicle, fuel cell vehicle, or hybrid vehicle project funded by the grant also eligible.

Website: www.eere.energy.gov/cleancities

Grants: Transportation Electrification

Amount: \$400 million for Transportation Electrification grant projects.

Type: Competitive Grant to states, local governments, and metropolitan transportation authorities

Office: Energy Efficiency and Renewable Energy (EERE)

Agency: U.S. Department of Energy

Purposes: To implement a grant program for qualified electric transportation projects that reduce

emissions, including shipside electrification of vehicles, truck stop electrification, airport ground

support equipment and cargo handling equipment

Website: <u>www.eere.energy.gov</u>

Grants: Smart Grid Investment Program

Amount: \$4.5 billion was included for the Smart Grid Investment Program.

Type: regional demonstration initiative and matching grants to states

Office: Electricity Delivery and Energy Reliability

Agency: U.S. Department of Energy

Purposes: To modernize the electric grid, enhance security and reliability of the energy infrastructure,

energy storage research, development, demonstration and deployment, and facilitate recovery

from disruptions to the energy supply, and authorized purposes.

Website: <u>www.oe.energy.gov</u>

www.oe.energy.gov/smartgrid.htm

Grants: Fossil Energy Research and Development Program

Amount: \$3.4 billion was included for Fossil Energy Research and Development Program.

Type: competitive grants and contracts

Office: Office of Fossil Energy
Agency: U.S. Department of Energy

Description: Research and Development programs include pollution control innovations for traditional power

plants, including mercury reduction; improved gasification technologies; advanced combustion systems; development of stationary power fuel cells; improved turbines for future coal-based combined cycle plants; and creation of a portfolio of technologies that can capture and

permanently store greenhouse gases.

Website: <u>www.fossil.energy.gov</u>

Grants: Physics Research Science Program

Amount: \$1.6 billion was included for the science program.

Type: competitive grants to universities, companies, and national laboratories

Office: Office of Science

Agency: U.S. Department of Energy

Description: Grants will primarily be awarded for research in high-energy physics, nuclear physics, and fusion

energy sciences

Website: www.science.doe.gov

http://www.science.doe.gov/grants/grants.html

Grants: Advanced Research Projects Agency (ARPA-E)

Amount: \$400 million included for the Advanced Research Projects Agency (ARPA-E).

Type: Awards to institutions of higher education, companies, research foundations, trade and industry

research collaborations, or consortia of such entities, which may include federally-funded

research and development centers.

Agency: U.S. Department of Energy

Purposes: To support high-risk, high-payoff research to accelerate the innovation cycle for both traditional

and alternative energy sources and energy

Website: www.energy.gov

Loan: Innovative Technology Loan

Amount: \$6 billion

Type: loan guarantees to legible applicants include any firm, corporation, company, partnership,

association, society,

trust, joint venture, joint stock company, or governmental non-Federal entity that meets specific

guidelines

Agency: Department of Energy

Purposes: loan guarantees for renewable technologies and transmission technologies

Website: http://www.lgprogram.energy.gov/index.html

Grants: Nuclear Waste Environmental Cleanup

Amount: \$5.127 billion

Type: awards based on priorities established by Dept. of Energy

Agency: Department of Energy

Purpose: accelerate nuclear waste cleanup at sites contaminated as a result of the nation's past nuclear

activities

Website: http://www.em.doe.gov/pages/siteslocations.aspx?PAGEID=MAIN

Loan: Transmission Loan Guarantees

Amount: \$4 billion

Type: guarantee loans that support early commercial use of advanced technologies

Agency: Department of Energy

Purposes: loans for renewable energy power generation and transmission projects

Website: <u>www.eere.energy.gov</u>

http://www.lgprogram.energy.gov/

Grants: Research into Low-Emission Coal Plants

Amount: \$800 million

Type: competitive grants
Agency: Department of Energy
Website: http://www.netl.doe.gov

Grants: Industrial carbon capture and energy efficiency improvement projects

Amount: \$1.52 million

Type: competitive grants
Agency: Department of Energy
Website: www.netl.doe.gov

Grants: Grants for identifying sites to store carbon dioxide emissions

Amount: \$50 million

Type: competitive grants
Agency: Department of Energy
Website: http://www.netl.doe.gov

Grants: Training of electric grid workers

Amount: \$100 million

Type: grants to states; partners could include non-profits, labor associations, state and local veterans'

groups, and state and local govn'ts

Agency: Department of Energy Website: <u>www.oe.energy.gov</u>

http://www.oe.energy.gov/smartgrid.htm

Bonds: Clean Renewable Energy Bonds

Amount: \$1.6 billion

Type: tax-credit bonds for state/local/tribal govn'ts, public power providers, and electric cooperatives

Agency: Internal Revenue Service

Purposes: create interest-free financing for certain renewable energy projects

Website: http://appsl.eere.energy.gov/news/news/detail.cfm/news/id=12249

http://www.irs.gov/taxexemptbond/index.html

Bonds: Qualified Energy Conservation Bonds

Amount: \$2.4 billion

Type: tax-credit bonds issued for capital expenditures

Agency: Internal Revenue Service

Description: very broad parameters for energy conservation projects including capital expenditure in public

buildings, green community programs, renewable energy production, various R&D applications, mass commuting facilities, energy-related demonstration projects, and public energy efficiency

education campaigns

Website: http://appsl.eere.energy.gov/news/news detail.cfm/news id=12249

http://www.irs.gov/taxexemptbond/index.html

Housing

Grants: Public Housing Authorities for Capital Needs Grants

Amount: \$4 billion

Type: \$3 Billion States receive funding through a formula

\$1 billion was also included for competitive grants

Office: Office of Public and Indian Housing - Office of Capital Improvements

Agency: U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development

Description: Funds to Public Housing Agencies (PHAs) for building repair and modernization, including

critical safety repairs.

Website: http://www.hud.gov/offices/pih/programs/ph/capfund/ocir.cfm

HUD Recovery
State Formulas:

http://www.hud.gov/offices/pih/programs/ph/capfund/grants/arra/index.cfm

Grants: Homelessness Prevention Fund

Amount: \$1.5 billion

Type: States and localities receive funding through a formula Agency: Department of Housing and Urban Development

Purpose: Funding provides short-term homeless prevention assistance to those losing their housing.

Website: http://www.hud.gov/offices/cpd/homeless/programs/esg/

HUD Recovery http://www.hud.gov/recovery/tcap.cfm

State Formulas:

Grants: Community Development Block Grants

Amount: \$1 billion was included in formula funds to be distributed to local communities and states for

community development and affordable housing activities.

Type: States and localities receive funding through a formula Administrator: Department of Housing and Urban Development

Description: Funding for community and economic development projects including housing and services for

those hit hard by tough economic times.

Website: http://www.hud.gov/recovery/cdblock.cfm
HUD Recovery http://www.hud.gov/recovery/tcap.cfm

State Formulas:

Grants: Neighborhood Stabilization Program

Amount: \$2 billion

Office: Office of Community Planning and Development

Agency: U.S. Department Of Housing and Urban Development

Type: Competitive Grants

Description: Help communities purchase and rehabilitate foreclosed, vacant properties in order to create more

affordable housing and reduce neighborhood blight.

Website: http://www.hud.gov/offices/cpd/communitydevelopment/programs/neighborhoodspg/

HUD Recovery State Formulas:

http://www.hud.gov/recovery/tcap.cfm

Grants: Lead Hazard Reduction Program

Amount: \$100 million

Office: Office of Healthy Homes and Lead Hazard Control
Agency: U.S. Department Of Housing and Urban Development

Type: Competitive Grants

Description: Funds for competitive grants to local governments and nonprofit organizations to remove lead-

based paint hazards in low-income housing.

Website: http://www.hud.gov/offices/lead/grantprograms.cfm

HUD Recovery http://www.hud.gov/recovery/tcap.cfm
State Formulas:

Grants: Native American Housing

Amount: \$510 Million for rehabilitation and energy efficiency upgrades at housing maintained by Native

American housing programs

Agency: U.S. Department Of Housing and Urban Development

Type: \$255 Million through a formula

\$255 Million for competitive grants

Eligibility: Eligible applicants include Indian tribes or tribally designated housing entities (TDHEs) eligible to

receive funding under NAHASDA (25 U.S.C. 4101 et seq.)

Website: http://www.hud.gov/recovery/native-american-formula.cfm

HUD Recovery State Formulas:

http://www.hud.gov/recovery/tcap.cfm

Grants: HOME Investment Partnership Program

Amount: \$2.25 billion

Agency: U.S. Department Of Housing and Urban Development

Type: Funds will distributed by formula to states

Description Funds will provide state and local governments with funds to create and rehabilitee affordable

housing

Website: http://www.hud.gov/offices/cpd/affordablehousing/programs/home/

HUD Recovery State Formulas:

http://www.hud.gov/recovery/tcap.cfm

Grants: Tax Credit Assistance Program (TCAP)

Amount: \$2.25 billion

Agency: U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development

Type: Funds will distributed by formula to 52 State Housing Credit Agencies

Description: Funding for capital investment in Low Income Housing Tax Credit (LIHTC) projects via a

formula-based allocation to State housing credit allocation agencies

Website: http://www.hud.gov/recovery/tax-credit.cfm

Grants: Home Weatherization Assistance Program

Amount: \$5 billion

Agency: U.S. Department of Energy and Housing and Urban Development

Type: States receive funding through a formula

Description: Funds to assist low-income families reduce their energy bills by making their homes more energy

efficient

Website: http://appsl.eere.energy.gov/weatherization/doe_guidelines.cfm
http://appsl.eere.energy.gov/weatherization/state-contacts.cfm

Also, please contact your local Community Action Agency or call 2-1-1 for more information.

Grants: Rural Housing Insurance Fund

Amount: \$200 million

Agency: USDA - Rural Development - Rural Housing Service

Type: Direct and guaranteed loans

Description: Funds to insure or guarantee rural housing loans for single-family homes, rental and cooperative

housing, and rural housing sites

Website: http://www.rurdev.usda.gov/rhs/

Forms: http://www.rurdev.usda.gov/regs/formstoc.html

Grants: Rural Community Facilities

Amount: \$130 million

Agency: U.S. Department of Agriculture - State Rural Development Office

Type: Competitive Grants

Description: Funds to support grants and loans to rural areas for critical community facilities, such as for

healthcare, education, fire and rescue, day care, community centers, and libraries.

Website: http://www.rurdev.usda.gov/rhs/cf/cp.htm

Small Business / Economic Development

Loan: Small Business Administration - 7(a) Loan Guarantee Program

Amount: \$375 million

Agency: Small Business Administration (SBA)

Provision: Temporary fee elimination - SBA is directed to collect no fee or reduce fees to the maximum extent

possible for the 7(a) loan program

SBA may guarantee up to 90% of 7(a) loans

Purpose: To ensure small businesses maintain have access to 7(a) loans that may be used to establish a new

business or to assist in the operation, acquisition or expansion of an existing business.

Website: http://www.sba.gov/services/financialassistance/sbaloantopics/7a/

http://www.sba.gov/services/financialassistance/index.html

Loan: Small Business Administration - 504 Loan Program

Amount: \$375 million

Agency: Small Business (SBA)

Description: Funds to ensure small businesses maintain adequate access to 504 loans. 504 loans may be used for

purchasing land and improvements, including existing buildings, grading, street improvements, utilities, parking lots and landscaping; construction of new facilities, or modernizing, renovating or

converting existing facilities; or purchasing long-term machinery and equipment.

Website: http://www.sba.gov/services/financialassistance/sbaloantopics/cdc504/index.html

http://www.sba.gov/services/financialassistance/index.html

Grant: Business Stabilization Program

Amount: \$225 million

Agency: Small Business Administration (SBA)

Description: To provide loans on a deferred basis to viable small business concerns that have a qualifying small

business loan and are experiencing immediate financial hardship

Website: <u>www.sba.gov</u>

Grant: Economic Development Assistance

Amount: \$150 million

Agency: Department of Commerce - Economic Development Administration

Description: Funds for economically distressed areas to generate private sector jobs. Priority consideration will

be given to those areas that have experienced sudden and severe economic dislocation and job loss

due to corporate restructuring.

Type: Competitive Grants

Website: http://www.eda.gov/InvestmentsGrants/Investments.xml

Grant: Community Development Financial Institutions

Amount: \$100 million

Agency: U.S. Department of the Treasury

Description: These funds will be used to help spur economic development and low-cost financial services to

underserved communities.

Website: http://www.cdfifund.gov/recovery/

Loan: Micro-Loan Program

Amount: \$6 million

Agency: Small Business (SBA)

Description: Provides very small loans to start-up, newly established, or growing small business concerns. Under

this program, SBA makes funds available to nonprofit community based lenders (intermediaries) which, in turn, make loans to eligible borrowers in amounts up to a maximum of \$35,000. The average loan size is about \$13,000. Applications are submitted to the local intermediary and all

credit decisions are made on the local level.

Website: http://www.sba.gov/services/financialassistance/sbaloantopics/microloans/index.html

http://www.sba.gov/recovery/index.html

Job Training & Unemployment

Grants: Employment Training Services for Adults

Amount: \$500 million

Type: States will receive formula funding.

Description: Funding to states to facilitate increased training of individuals for high-demand occupations

Website: http://www.doleta.gov/programs/general_info.cfm

Grants: Dislocated Workers Employment and Training Services

Amount: \$1.25 billion

Type: States will receive formula funding.

Description: Funds was to provide quality employment and training services to assist individuals in finding

employment, and to help employers find the skilled.

Website: http://www.doleta.gov/programs/ETA default.cfm?#

Grants: Employment Training Services for Youths

Amount: \$1.2 billion

Type: States will receive formula funding.

Description: Funds to create summer employment opportunities for people under 24 years old.

Website: http://www.doleta.gov/youth-services/

Grants: Employment Services

Amount: \$250 million

Type: States will receive formula funds.

Description: Funding for reemployment services to connect unemployment insurance claimants to

employment.

Website: http://www.doleta.gov/programs/Wagner-Peyser.cfm

Grants: Dislocated Worker Assistance

Amount: \$200 million

Office: Employment & Training Administration

Agency: U.S. Department of Labor Type: Competitive Grants

Description: These funds will allow the Secretary of Labor to award national emergency grants to respond to

plant closings, mass layoffs and other worker dislocations.

Website: http://www.doleta.gov/NEG/

http://www.doleta.gov/grants/

Grants: YouthBuild Amount: \$50 million

Type: Formula funds and Competitive Grants

Agency: U.S. Department of Labor

Description: Provides services for at-risk youth, who gain education and occupational credentials while

constructing or rehabilitating affordable housing.

Website: http://www.doleta.gov/youth-services/

Grants: Green Jobs Training

Amount: \$500 million

Agency: U.S. Department of Labor - Employment & Training Administration

Type: Competitive Grants

Description: These funds are designated for projects that prepare workers for careers in energy efficiency and

renewable energy as described in the Green Jobs Act of 2007.

Website: http://www.doleta.gov/

Grants: Community Service Employment for Older Americans

Amount \$120 million

Agency: U.S. Department of Labor - Employment & Training Administration

Type: Formula funds and Competitive Grants - Nonprofits may apply

Description: Funding for part-time employment opportunities for low income seniors

Website: http://www.doleta.gov/seniors/

Grants: Job Corps Program

Amount: \$250 million

Office: Office of Job Corps

Agency: U.S. Department of Labor Type: Competitive Grants

Description: The funds will support construction and modernization of a network of residential facilities

serving at-risk youth.

Website: http://www.jobcorps.gov/

Grants: Trade Adjustment Assistance for Workers

Amount: Reauthorizes all TAA programs until Dec. 31 2010, increases funding to states by \$575 million

Agency: U.S. Department of Labor - Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance

Type: Discretionary grants

Description: Fund to help workers at firms who have become (or are threatened to become) fully or partially

separated from employment due to trade with foreign countries.

Website: http://www.doleta.gov/tradeact/taa/WhoWeServe.cfm

Health

Grants: Medicaid Federal Matching Assistance Percentage (FMAP) Increase

Amount: \$86.6 billion

Description: Funds to provides states with an increase in federal matching funds for state Medicaid

expenditures to avoid budget shortfalls.

Agency: State Medicaid

Type: Formula Funding to States

State Funding http://www.hhs.gov/recovery/statefundsmap.html

Websites:

http://www.hhs.gov/recovery/statefunds.html

Grants: Community Health Center Infrastructure Grants

Amount: \$1.5 billion

Office: Bureau of Primary Health Care

Agency: Health Resources and Services Administration
Type: Competitive Grants for Existing Grantees

Description: To renovate clinics and make health information technology improvements.

Websites: http://bphc.hrsa.gov/about/apply.htm

http://www.hrsa.gov/grants/default.htm

Grants: Community Health Center Services Grants

Amount: \$500 million was included for Community Health Centers.

Office: Bureau of Primary Health Care

Agency: Health Resources and Services Administration
Type: Competitive Grants for Existing Grantees

Description: To increase the number of uninsured Americans who receive quality healthcare.

Website: http://bphc.hrsa.gov/about/apply.htm

Grants: Community Health Center Services Grants - New Access Point Grants

Amount: \$155 million

Agency: Department of Health and Human Services - Health Resources and Service Administration

Type: Grants Administered by Department of Health and Human Services

Description: Funds to create 126 new Community Health Centers.

Website: http://www.hhs.gov/recovery/hrsa/healthcentergrants.html

Facilities Funded: http://www.hhs.gov/recovery/hrsa/applicant.html

Grants: National Health Service Corps

Amount: \$300 million

Office: National Health Service Corps

Agency: Department of Health and Human Services - Health Resources and Services Administration

Type: Competitive Grants, Scholarships, and Loan Repayment

Description: To fund training for primary healthcare providers in specific health professional in underserved

communities through the National Health Service Corps

Website: http://nhsc.hrsa.gov/applications/

Grants: Health Care Workforce

Amount: \$200 million

Office: Bureau of Health Professions

Agency: Health Resources and Services Administration

Type: Competitive Grants, Scholarships, and Loan Repayment

Description: To provide for training of health professions

Website: http://www.hrsa.gov/help/healthprofessions.htm

http://www.hrsa.gov/grants/default.htm

Grants: Biomedical Research

Amount: \$8.7 billion

Office: Office of the Director

Agency: National Institutes of Health

Type: Competitive Grants

Description: To expand jobs in biomedical research to study diseases.

Website: http://www.nih.gov/about/director/02252009statement arra.htm

Grants: University Research Facilities

Amount: \$1.3 billion

Agency: National Institutes of Health - National Center for Research Resources

Type: Competitive Grants

Purpose: To renovate and equip university research facilities.

Description: Funding will be used for the construction and renovation of extramural research facilities and for

the acquisition research equipment.

Website: http://www.ncrr.nih.gov/

Grants: Prevention and Wellness Program

Amount: \$950 million was included for the Center for Disease Control for evidence based clinical and

community prevention and wellness programs.

Description: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

Type: Competitive Grants

Description: Funds to support state and local efforts to fight preventable chronic diseases and infectious

diseases.

Website: http://www.cdc.gov/

http://www.hhs.gov/

Grants: Comparative Effectiveness Health Research

Amount: \$1.1 billion

Agency: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services - Agency on Healthcare Research and Quality

(AHRQ) and National Institutes of Health (NIH)

Type: Competitive Grants

Purpose: To compare the effectiveness of different medical treatments

Description: This funding will be used to conduct or support research to evaluate and compare clinical

outcomes, effectiveness, risk, and benefits of two or more medical treatments and services that address a particular medical condition. This research will not be used to mandate coverage decisions or impose one-size-fits-all[®] medicine on patients. It will be designed to enable medical

professionals and patients improve treatment. \$300 million will be administered by AHRQ

Website: http://www.ahrq.gov/

Grants: Health Information Technology Grants

Amount: \$2 billion

Office: Office of the National Coordinator of Health Information Technology, Agency for Healthcare

Research and Quality, CDC, and Indian Health Service/States or State-Designated Entities

Agency: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services - Office of the National Coordinator for Health

Information Technology

Type: Competitive Grants

Description: To authorize the Office of the National Coordinator of Health Information Technology in order

to promote the use and exchange of electronic health information.

Website: http://www.hhs.gov/recovery/

Grants: Health Information Technology Improvements

Amount: \$17 billion was included to improve investments and incentives through Medicare and Medicaid

to ensure widespread adoption and use of interoperable health information technology (HIT).

Agency: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services - Office of the National Coordinator for Health

Information Technology

Description: Hospitals and Physician offices will automatically receive benefit through CMS reimbursements.

Grants will be available through HHS for other medical agencies.

Website: http://www.hhs.gov/recovery/

Grant: Rural Community Facilities

Amount: \$130 million

Agency: U.S. Department of Agriculture - State Rural Development Office

Type: Competitive Grants

Description: Funds to support grants and loans to rural areas for critical community facilities, such as for

healthcare, education, fire and rescue, day care, community centers, and libraries.

Website: http://www.rurdev.usda.gov/rhs/cf/cp.htm

Grant: Indian Health Service

Amount: \$500 million

Agency: Department of Health and Human Services - Director of the Indian Health Services

Type: Funds will be distributed at the discretion of the Director of Indian

Description: Funds to modernize aging hospitals and health clinics and make healthcare technology upgrades

to improve healthcare for underserved rural populations.

Website: http://www.ihs.gov/

Grant: NIH Challenge Grants in Health and Science Research

Amount: \$200 million

Agency: National Institutes of Health - Office of Extramural Research

Type: Competitive Grants

Description: Funds will support research on specific scientific and health research challenges that will benefit

from significant 2-year jumpstart funds

Website: http://grants.nih.gov/grants/funding/challenge award/

Public Safety

Grant: State Fiscal Stabilization Fund

Amount: \$53.6 billion

Type: States will receive formula funding

Administrators: State Governors

Description: To provide fiscal relief to the States to prevent tax increases and cutbacks in critical education

and other services.

Website: http://www.ed.gov/policy/gen/leg/recovery/index.html

State Funding http://www.ed.gov/about/overview/budget/statetables/09arrastatetables.pdf

Amounts:

State Recovery Sites: http://www.recovery.gov/?q=content/state-recovery-page

Grants: Assistance to Firefighters Grant Program

Amount: \$210 million

Agency: Department of Homeland Security - Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)

Type: Competitive Grant

Purposes: To provide assistance for communities to modify, upgrade or construct state and local fire

stations

Website: www.firegrantsupport.com/AFG/

Grants: Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grants

Agency: \$2 billion

Administrator: Department of Justice - Bureau of Justice Assistance Type: Formula funding to state and local police forces

Description: Funds to helps states and local governments support activities to prevent and control crime and

improve the criminal justice system enforcement.

Website: http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/BJA/recoveryact.html

Allocations: http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/BJA/recoveryJAG/recoveryallocations.html

Grants: Byrne Competitive Grants Program

Amount: \$225 million

Agency: Department of Justice - Office of Justice Assistance

Type: Competitive Grants

Description: Funds to helps states and local governments support activities to prevent and control crime and

improve the criminal justice system enforcement.

Website: http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/BJA/recoveryact.html

Grants: Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS) Hiring Grants

Agency: \$1 billion

Office: Office of Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS)

Agency: Department of Justice Type: Competitive Grant

Description: For hiring and rehiring of additional career law enforcement officers

Website: http://www.cops.usdoj.gov/default.asp?Item=2108
Eligibility: http://www.cops.usdoj.gov/chrp/eligibilityanony.aspx

Grants: STOP Violence Against Women Formula Grant Program

Amount: \$175 million

Agency: Department of Justice- Office on Violence Against Women

Type: Formula funding to state agency

Description: STOP formula grants are intended for use by states and territories; state, local and tribal courts

(including juvenile courts); Indian tribal governments; local governments; and nonprofit, nongovernment victim services programs. Recipients are required to meet one or more of 14 statutory purpose areas. These areas include, but are not limited to: training law enforcement officers, judges, court personnel and prosecutors; developing, enlarging, or strengthening victim services programs; developing, installing or expanding data collection; and developing, enlarging,

or strengthening programs addressing stalking.

Website: http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/stop grant desc.htm+

Grants: Transitional Housing Assistance Program

Amount: \$50 million

Agency: Department of Justice - Transitional Housing Assistance Program

Type: Competitive Grants to states, local government, Indian Tribes, nonprofits and services providers.

Description: May be used for transitional housing, short-term housing assistance, support services designed to enable individuals who are fleeing domestic violence. violence, sexual assault, or stalking to

locate and secure permanent housing and integrate into a community by providing those individuals with services such as transportation, counseling, child care services, case

management, employment counseling, and other assistance.

Website: http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/thousing grant desc.htm

Grants: Victims Compensation

Amount: \$100 million

Agency: Department of Justice - Office for Victims of Crime

Type: Formula funding to state agencies

Description: Funding to support State compensation and assistance programs for victims and survivors of

Federal and state crimes.

Website: http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/ovc/fund/Recoveryfunds.html
Application: http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/ovc/fund/Recoveryformula.html

Grants Rural Law Enforcement

Amount: \$125 millions

Agency: Department of Justice - Office of Justice Assistance

Type: Competitive Grants

Description: The funding is for grants to combat drug-related crime and other law enforcement activities in

rural America.

Website http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/BJA/recoveryact.html

Grants Assistance for Tribal Law Enforcement

Amount: \$225 million

Agency: Department of Justice - Office of Justice Assistance

Type: Competitive Grants

Description: The funding is for grants to construct jails and other law enforcement activities on tribal lands.

Website http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/BJA/recoveryact.html

Grants Assistance for Law Enforcement along the Southern Border and in High Intensity Drug

Trafficking Areas (HIDTA)

Amount: \$40 million

Agency: Department of Justice - Office of Justice Assistance

Type: Competitive Grants

Description: The funding is for grants to combat drug-related crime and other law enforcement activities

along the Southern Border.

Website http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/BJA/recoveryact.html

Grants: Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC) Task Force Program

Amount: \$50 million

Agency: Department of Justice - Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention

Type: Formula funding to state agency

Description: Funds to help State and local law enforcement agencies enhance investigative responses to

offenders who use the Internet to sexually exploit children.

Website: http://ojjdp.ncjrs.gov/recoveryact.html

Child Care

Grants: Child Care and Development Block Grant (CCDBG)

Amount: \$2 billion

Type: States will receive formula funding

Description: Provides subsidized child care services through vouchers or contracts with providers to low-

income working families.

Website: http://www.ed.gov/about/offices/list/oii/nonpublic/childcare.html

Grants: Head Start / Early Start Programs

Amount: \$2.1 billion was included for Head Start Program funding and the expansion of the Early Head

Start Program.

Type: States will receive formula funding

Agency: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services - Administration for Children and Families

Description: Funding is administered directly to Head Start programs in states to provide development,

educational, health, nutritional, social and other activities that prepare children to succeed in

school.

Website: http://www.acf.hhs.gov/programs/ohs/

Grants: Community Services Block Grant (CSBG)

Amount: \$1 billion was included for Community Services Block Grant (CSBG).

Type: States will receive formula funding

Agency: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services -Administration for Children and Families

Description: Provides funding to local community action agencies for services for the growing number of low-

income families hurt by the economic crisis, such as housing and mortgage counseling, jobs skills

training, food pantry assistance, as well as benefits, outreach, and enrollment.

Website: http://www.acf.hhs.gov/programs/ocs/csbg/

Grant: Rural Community Facilities

Amount: \$130 million

Agency: U.S. Department of Agriculture - State Rural Development Office

Type: Competitive Grants

Description: Funds to support grants and loans to rural areas for critical community facilities, such as for

healthcare, education, fire and rescue, day care, community centers, and libraries.

Website: http://www.rurdev.usda.gov/rhs/cf/cp.htm

Grants: Education for Homeless Children and Youth

Amount: \$70 million

Agency: Department of Education

Type: Formula funding to States

Description: Funds to provide services to homeless children including meals and transportation when high

unemployment and home foreclosures have created an influx of homeless kids.

Website: http://www.ed.gov/programs/homeless/index.html

Education

Grant: State Fiscal Stabilization Fund

Amount: \$53.6 billion

Type: States will receive formula funding

Administrators: State Governors

Description: To provide fiscal relief to the States to prevent tax increases and cutbacks in critical education

and other services.

Website: http://www.ed.gov/policy/gen/leg/recovery/index.html

State Funding http://www.ed.gov/about/overview/budget/statetables/09arrastatetables.pdf

Amounts:

State Recovery Sites: http://www.recovery.gov/?q=content/state-recovery-page

Grant: IDEA Special Education

Amount: \$12.2 billion

Type: States will receive formula funding.

Administrator: State Department of Education

Description: To assist States and school districts with paying for the rising cost of special education for

students with disabilities.

Website: http://www.ed.gov/policy/gen/leg/recovery/index.html

State Funding

http://www.ed.gov/about/overview/budget/statetables/09arrastatetables.pdf

Amounts:

Grant: Education for the Disadvantaged

Amount: \$13 billion

Type: States will receive formula funding for Title I of the Elementary and Secondary Education Act.

Description: Provides local educational agencies (LEAs) with supplemental education funding, especially in

high-poverty areas.

Website: http://www.ed.gov/policy/gen/leg/recovery/index.html

State Funding

http://www.ed.gov/about/overview/budget/titlei/fy09recovery/index.html

Amounts:

Grant: Education Technology

Amount: \$650 million was included for the Enhancing Education through Technology program.

Type: States will receive formula funding

Description: Funds for State, district, and school efforts to integrate technology in the classroom

Website: http://www.ed.gov/policy/gen/leg/recovery/index.html

State Funding http://www.ed.gov/about/overview/buc

Amounts:

http://www.ed.gov/about/overview/budget/statetables/09arrastatetables.pdf

Grant: Vocational Rehabilitation

Amount: \$540 million was included for Vocational Rehabilitation State Grants.

Type: States will receive formula funding

Description: To help individuals with disabilities prepare for and engage in gainful employment.

Website: http://www.ed.gov/policy/gen/leg/recovery/index.html

State Funding

http://www.ed.gov/about/overview/budget/statetables/09arrastatetables.pdf

Amounts:

Grant: Teacher Quality Enhancement Competitive State Grants

Amount: \$300 million

Agency: U.S. Department of Education - Office of Postsecondary Education

Type: Competitive grants to states and school districts

Description: \$200 million for competitive grants to school districts and states to provide financial incentives

for teachers and principals who raise student achievement.

\$100 million for competitive grants to states to address teacher shortages and modernize the

teaching workforce.

Website: http://www.ed.gov/programs/heatqp/eligibility.html

Grant: Statewide Longitudinal Data Systems Grant Program

Amount: \$250 million was included in competitive grants was provided for the Statewide Longitudinal

Data Systems Program.

Agency: Department of Education - Institute of Education Sciences

Type: Competitive Grants to States

Description: Grants to design and develop data systems that analyze individual student data to find ways to

improve student achievement.

Website: http://nces.ed.gov/programs/slds/

Grant: Student Financial Assistance

Amount: \$15.64 billion was included for the Pell Grant program. \$200 million was included for work-

study programs. These additional funds will provide immediate financial relief to an additional 800,000 students and their families who are struggling to pay for the cost of a higher education

during the economic downturn.

Agency: Department of Education - Office of Federal Student Aid

Description: To provide need-based scholarships for undergraduate students.

Type: Students may fill out the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) to determine if they

are eligible to receive a Federal Pell Grant or Work-Study funds.

Website: http://www.ed.gov/programs/fpg/index.html

State Funding

Amounts:

http://www.ed.gov/about/overview/budget/statetables/09arrastatetables.pdf

Grant: College Work Study

Amount: \$200 million

Agency: Department of Education - Office of Federal Student Aid

Description: Funding for part-time employment opportunities to assist students in financing the costs of

postsecondary education

Type: Formula Grants

Website: http://www.ed.gov/programs/fws/index.html

State Funding http://www.ed.gov/about/overview/budget/statetables/09arrastatetables.pdf

Amounts:

Grant: Rural Community Facilities

Amount: \$130 million

Agency: U.S. Department of Agriculture - State Rural Development Office

Type: Competitive Grants

Description: Funds to support grants and loans to rural areas for critical community facilities, such as for

healthcare, education, fire and rescue, day care, community centers, and libraries.

Website: http://www.rurdev.usda.gov/rhs/cf/cp.htm

Grant: Independent Living State Grants

Amount: \$18.2 million

Type: States will receive formula funding

Description: To provide independent living (IL) services to individuals with significant disabilities

Website: http://www.ed.gov/policy/gen/leg/recovery/index.html

State Funding http://www.ed.gov/about/overview/budget/statetables/09arrastatetables.pdf

Amounts:

Rehabilitation http://www.ed.gov/programs/rsailstate/index.html

Services:

Grant: Services for Older Individuals who are Blind

Amount: \$34.3 Million

Type: States will receive formula funding

Description: Grants are made to states to support services for individuals age 55 or older whose severe visual

impairment makes employment difficult to obtain.

Website: http://www.ed.gov/policy/gen/leg/recovery/index.html

State Funding http://www.ed.gov/about/overview/budget/statetables/09arrastatetables.pdf

Amounts:

Rehabilitation

http://www.ed.gov/programs/rsailstate/index.html

Services:

Grants: Education for Homeless Children and Youth

Amount: \$70 million

Agency: Department of Education Type: Formula funding to States

Description: Funds to provide services to homeless children including meals and transportation when high

unemployment and home foreclosures have created an influx of homeless kids.

Website: http://www.ed.gov/programs/homeless/index.html

Grants: Historic Preservation Fund for Historically Black Colleges and Universities

Agency: National Park Service

Funding: \$15 million

Type: Competitive Grants

Description: These funds will be used for historical preservation competitive grants for historically black

colleges and universities.

Website: http://www.doi.gov/recovery/plans.html#nps

HBCU Grants: http://www.nps.gov/history/hps/hpg/hbcu/index.htm

<u>Arts</u>

Grants: National Endowment of the Arts Competitive Grants

Agency: National Endowment of the Arts (NEA) - National Foundation on the Arts and Humanities

Amount: \$30 million

Type: Competitive Grants (Matching requirement waived)

Description: Grants to fund arts projects which preserve jobs in the non-profit arts sector threatened by

declines in financial support.

Website: http://www.nea.gov

Helpful Link: http://www.nea.gov/grants/apply/index.html

Food Assistance

Grant: Supplemental Nutrition Assistance

Amount: \$19.9 billion

Type: States will receive formula funding

Agency: Department of Agriculture

Purpose: To supplement State's existing food stamp program.

Description: Funds will temporarily increase benefits provided under the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance

Program and help cover administrative and management costs.

Website: http://www.fns.usda.gov/fsp/snap.htm

State Contacts: http://www.fns.usda.gov/fsp/contact info/hotlines.htm

Grant: Senior Nutrition Programs

Amount: \$100 million

Type: States will receive formula funding

Agency: Department of Health and Human Services through the Administration on Aging

Purpose: To provide for an additional amount of funds for "Aging Services Programs."

Description: Programs that bring seniors together to eat in group settings and deliver nutritional and dietary

safe meals to seniors.

Website: http://www.aoa.gov/

Grant: School Lunch Program

Amount: \$100 million

Type: States will receive formula funding and provide competitive grants within the state

Agency: Department of Agriculture through USDA

Purpose: To carry out a grant program for National School Lunch Program equipment assistance.

Description: Federal school meal program that provides nutritionally balanced, low-cost or free lunches to

children each school day.

Website: http://www.fns.usda.gov/cnd/lunch/

Grant: Emergency Food Assistance

Amount: \$150 million

Type: States will receive formula funding.

Agency: Department of Agriculture

Description: TEFAP provides USDA commodities to states, who distribute food through local emergency

food providers.

Purpose: To provide for costs associated with the distribution of commodity foods.

Website: http://www.fns.usda.gov/fdd/programs/tefap/

Grant: Supplemental WIC Nutrition Program

Amount: \$500 million

Type: Allocated as the Secretary deems necessary
Agency: Department of Agriculture through USDA

Description: WIC provides Federal grants to States for supplemental foods, health care referrals, and

nutrition education for low-income women, infants, and children who are found to be at

nutritional risk.

Purpose: To support participation should cost or participation exceed budget estimates

Website: http://www.fns.usda.gov/wic/howtoapply/default.htm.

Telecom

Grants: Broadband Technology Opportunities Program

Amount: \$4.7 billion

Agency: National Telecommunications and Information Administration

Description: Grants to provide access to broadband service in underserved areas.

Type: Competitive Grants

Website: http://www.ntia.doc.gov/otiahome/top/grants/grants.htm

Grants: Distance Learning, Telemedicine, and Broadband

Amount: \$2.5 billion

Agency: USDA: Rural Utility Service

Description: Funding is available through grants, loans and loan guarantees for broadband infrastructure.

Type: Grants and Loans

Website: http://www.usda.gov/rus/

Coupon: Digital TV Conversion Coupon Program

Amount: \$650 million

Agency: Federal Communications Commission

Funds to continue the coupon program to enable American households to convert from analog television transmission to digital transmission. Description:

Туре: coupons to individuals Website: http://www.dtv.gov/